Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 02 Mar 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 03 Mar 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 02 Mar 2022 at 00:27

Confidence: High for cloudy through Wednesday with outbreaks of mainly light rain, but lower from Thursday with uncertainty over the actual position of a slow moving front, currently expected to remain across, or close to, the area through much of the forecast period.

Headline for Wednesday 02 Mar 2022: Mostly cloudy with outbreaks of rain, extensive hill fog.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 02 Mar 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability					
80%	90%	90%	70%	40%	40%

Forecast for Wednesday 02 Mar 2022

Weather: Mostly cloudy throughout, with outbreaks of mainly light rain and drizzle, although the odd heavier burst of rain is possible, and some sleet or wet snow over the higher summits. During the evening the rain is expected to become increasingly patchy.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Around 10% in north, otherwise close to zero.

Low Cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent cloud above 250-450m, but cloud more occasional above 600m across the north at times. Otherwise visibility rather misty, falling to several kilometres in rain and drizzle, and maybe a kilometre or less in any wintry showers.

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Forecast for Wednesday 02 Mar 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	35/41 E	27/34 E	35/44 SE	31/40 SE	34/43 SE	33/42 SE	30/38 SE
600	24/31 E	22/30 E	26/34 SE	23/32 SE	24/33 SE	24/33 SE	22/30 SE
300	20/34 E	17/30 E	19/32 SE	17/29 SE	17/31 SE	16/30 SE	14/27 SE
Valley	20/33 E	17/30 SE	20/34 SE	17/30 SE	17/32 SE	17/31 SE	15/28 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	1/-8	1/-6	2/-5	3/-4	2/-5	2/-5	2/-4
600	2/-4	4/-2	5/-1	5/-0	5/-1	4/-1	4/-1
300	4/-1	5/1	6/2	7/3	7/3	6/2	6/2
Valley	6/1	7/2	8/4	9/5	8/4	8/4	7/4
Freezing Level*	1600m	1700m	1800m	1900m	1800m	1800m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts around 50mph over ridges and summits.

Forecast for Thursday 03 Mar 2022

Weather: Cloudy with further outbreaks of rain and drizzle, the rain heavy at times, especially across southern hills, with a little sleet or wet snow at times on higher summits. Best chance of any brighter spells in west.

Maximum wind: South-easterly 25-30mph, gusts around 50mph over ridges and summits, decreasing 20mph by sunrise then veering southerly 10-15mph through morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 25% in west, otherwise little chance.

Low Cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent 300-450m, but more occasional above 600m at times in west. Otherwise visibility rather hazy falling to a few kilometres in heavier rain and drizzle and maybe a kilometre in any wintriness.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around plus 5 or 6 Celsius rising to plus 9 or 10 Celsius by day
At 800m: Around plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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